



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: §  
§ Oren GLOBERMAN et al §  
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Serial No.: 09/890,172 §  
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For: Expandable Intervertebral Spacer §  
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Examiner: Paul B. Prebilic §

**Mail Stop Amendment  
Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
P.O. Box 1450  
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## **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Action dated May 24, 2007, which response is being submitted on September 24, 2007, and for which a one month extension of time is due and enclosed herewith.

**Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.**

**Remarks begin on page 14.**

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: